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*In re* Application of  
APICHELLA, SHARON L. et al  
Serial No.: 10/725,677  
Filed: Feb. 20, 2003  
Docket: SUTT-011

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUSES FOR  
TEACHING A METACOGNITIVE  
APPROACH TO WRITING

Petition to Withdraw  
Abandonment

This is a decision to the petition filed Nov. 10, 2008 requesting withdrawal of the holding of abandonment. This petition is being considered pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.181. No fees are required.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The present application was held abandoned for failure to timely file a response to the Non-Final Rejection mailed on Apr. 15, 2008 which set forth a three-month period for reply. Notice of abandonment was mailed on Oct. 23, 2008.

Petitioner asserts that a timely response to the Non-Final Rejection was filed on Oct. 20, 2008 with three-month extension of time fee. The record does show a response with a request of three months extension of time was filed on Oct. 20, 2008. A certificate of mailing dated Oct. 15, 2008 was also presented with the amendment. Accordingly, the response is considered timely and the Notice of Abandonment is, therefore, hereby vacated. There is no abandonment in fact. Any inconvenience or delay caused to applicant is regretted.

In view of the above, the Notice of Abandonment mailed Oct. 23, 2008 is in error and is hereby vacated. The holding of abandonment is withdrawn. This application is being forwarded to the examiner in Art Unit 3711 for consideration of amendment filed on Oct. 20, 2008.

Petition Granted.

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